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PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Wednesday, 2 November 1994

SECURITY COUNCIL

11.30 a.m.	consultations of the whole (closed)	Consultation Room

Subjects

- Programme of work
- Somalia
- Other matters

UNITED NATIONS SPECIAL COMMISSION

Eighth plenary session

10 a.m.-1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 8
3 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 8

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

1994 UNITED NATIONS PLEDGING CONFERENCE FOR DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES

10 a.m.-1 p.m. — 3rd meeting — Trusteeship Council Chamber

United Nations Pledging Conference for Development Activities segment:

1. Statements regarding pledges (A/CONF.173/2; A/CONF.168/2/Corr.1)
2. Adoption of the draft report (A/CONF.175/L.1)
3. Closure of the Conference segment

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-ninth session

Committees

SPECIAL POLITICAL AND DECOLONIZATION COMMITTEE (FOURTH COMMITTEE)

10 a.m.-1 p.m. — 16th meeting — Conference Room 4

United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East [77] (A/49/13, A/49/288-S/1994/903, A/49/439, A/49/440, A/49/441, A/49/442, A/49/443, A/49/448, A/49/488, A/49/505, A/49/509, A/49/570)

SECOND COMMITTEE

3 p.m.-6 p.m. — 19th meeting — Trusteeship Council Chamber

1. Sustainable development and international economic co-operation [88]

   (g) United Nations Conference on Human Settlements (Habitat III)

   Statement by the Secretary-General of the United Nations Conference on Human Settlements (Habitat III)

2. Report of the Economic and Social Council [12] (A/49/3 and Add.1, A/49/56-S/26926, A/49/122-E/1994/44 and Add.1, A/49/169-E/1994/73, A/49/179-E/1994/82, A/49/189, A/49/215-E/1994/99 and Corr.1 (Chinese only), A/49/423, A/49/437, A/49/495, A/49/506, A/49/5 and Add.1; A/C.2/49/3, A/C.2/49/4, A/C.2/49/6, A/C.2/49/7; A/C.2/49/L.2, A/C.2/49/L.3)

   Conclusion of general discussion

3. Macroeconomic policy questions [87]

   (b) Implementation of the International Development Strategy for the Fourth United Nations Development Decade

   Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/49/L.6

THIRD COMMITTEE

10 a.m.-1 p.m. — 16th meeting — Conference Room 1

International drug control [98] (A/49/89, A/49/139-E/1994/57, A/49/228-S/1994/827, A/49/287-S/1994/894 and Corr.1, A/49/317, A/49/345, A/49/369, A/49/422)

Introduction and general discussion

3 p.m.-6 p.m. — 17th meeting — Conference Room 1

1. Elimination of racism and racial discrimination [93] (A/C.3/49/L.2, L.3, L.8)
2. Right of peoples to self-determination [94] (A/C.3/49/L.4, L.7)
3. Social development, including questions relating to the world social situation and to youth, ageing, disabled persons and the family [95] (A/C.3/49/L.10)

   Introduction of draft proposals

4. International drug control [98] (A/49/89, A/49/139-E/1994/57, A/49/228-S/1994/827, A/49/287-S/1994/894 and Corr.1, A/49/317, A/49/345, A/49/369, A/49/422)

Continuation of general discussion

6 p.m.*- 9 p.m.	18th meeting	Conference Room 1

1. Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations [105] (A/49/336; A/C.3/49/3)

2. Programme planning [108] (Programmes 25, 26, 35, 36 and 37; A/C.3/49/2)

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* Subject to the availability of services.

SIXTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	25th meeting	Conference Room 2

Report of the International Law Commission on the work of its forty-sixth session [137] (A/49/10, A/49/365)

SIXTH COMMITTEE:

WORKING GROUP ON THE UNITED NATIONS DECADE OF INTERNATIONAL LAW

3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 2

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

10.30 a.m.- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10
3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10

PREPARATORY COMMITTEE FOR THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF THE UNITED NATIONS

3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	18th meeting	Conference Room 4

Documents A/AC.240/1994/L.16 and A/AC.240/1994/CRP.4/Rev.1

UNITED NATIONS ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Room DC1-1008
2.30 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Room DC1-1008

MEETINGS OTHER THAN MEETINGS OF UNITED NATIONS BODIES

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Wednesday, 2 November 1994

GROUP OF 27 OF THE GROUP OF 77
(on agenda item 89)

10.30 a.m.-1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 7

NON-ALIGNED MOVEMENT OF THE FIRST COMMITTEE

11 a.m.-1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 6

GROUP OF 27 OF THE GROUP OF 77
(on the World Summit for Social Development)

2 p.m.-3 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 7

AFRICAN GROUP: GROUP OF EXPERTS ON ECONOMIC MATTERS

3 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 6

ARAB GROUP OF THE SPECIAL POLITICAL AND DECOLONIZATION COMMITTEE (FOURTH COMMITTEE)

3.30 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room B

GROUP OF CENTRAL AMERICAN STATES

3.30 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room D

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Meetings of co-sponsors

There will be a closed meeting of actual and potential co-sponsors – and interested parties – of the draft resolution on "Prohibition of production of fissile material for nuclear weapons and other nuclear explosive devices" *today*, 2 November 1994, from 12 noon to 2 p.m. in Conference Room A.

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There will be a closed meeting of actual and potential co-sponsors of the draft resolution on chemical weapons *today*, 2 November 1994, from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 9.

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Special briefing

The Office of Human Resources Management (OHRM) will hold a special briefing for members of the GROUP OF 77 of the FIFTH COMMITTEE *today*, 2 November 1994, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 5 on agenda item 113 (Human resources management).

FORTHCOMINC MEETINGS

Thursday, 3 November 1994

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-ninth session

10 a.m.	50th PLENARY MEETING	General Assembly Hall

1. Question of the Falkland Islands (Malvinas) [45].

2. The situation in Bosnia and Herzegovina: draft resolution (A/49/L.14) [39].

Committees

FIRST COMMITTEE

3 p.m.	12th meeting	Conference Room 4

SPECIAL POLITICAL AND DECOLONIZATION COMMITTEE (FOURTH COMMITTEE)

10 a.m.	17th meeting	Conference Room 4

THIRD COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	19th meeting	Conference Room 1
3 p.m.	20th meeting	

FIFTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	11th meeting	Conference Room 3
3 p.m.	12th meeting	

SIXTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	27th meeting	Conference Room 2

Friday, 4 November 1994

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-ninth session

GENERAL COMMITTEE

9.30 a.m. 5th meeting Conference Room 4

Adoption of the agenda of the forty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly and organization of work: request for the inclusion of an additional item submitted by Cambodia, Guinea-Bissau, Honduras, Italy and Malta (A/49/234) [8].

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United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea

The opening part of the first session of the Assembly of the International Seabed Authority, will be held in Kingston, Jamaica, from 16 to 18 November 1994. Delegations, attending the session, are kindly requested to submit the names of their representatives to the Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea, Office of Legal Affairs (Room DC2-0470, Ext. 3-6422) if they have not already done so.

The agenda of the first session of the Assembly can be found in document ISBA/A/1. Delegations should note that only the first item of this agenda will be dealt with during the opening part of the session.

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ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

Resumed substantive session of 1994

The resumed substantive session of 1994 of the Economic and Social Council will be convened at 10 a.m. on Thursday, 3 November 1994, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber. The agenda for the session is contained in document E/1994/121.

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The OPEN-ENDED WORKING GROUP ON THE REVIEW OF ARRANGEMENTS FOR CONSULTATION WITH NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS, in accordance with Economic and Social Council resolution 1994/28 of 26 July 1994, will hold an informal intersessional meeting from 7 to 8 November 1994 in Conference Room 1. The Working Group will have before it a conference room paper entitled "Working document for the intersessional meeting" (E/AC.70/1994/CRP.1).

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The TASK FORCE ON SOMALIA of the NON-ALIGNED MOVEMENT will meet on Thursday, 3 November 1994, at 11 a.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber.

SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Tuesday, 1 November 1994

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-ninth session

49th plenary meeting

Report of the Security Council (A/49/2) [11]

Statements were made by the representatives of New Zealand, Cuba, the Netherlands, Italy, Venezuela, Bulgaria, Nigeria, Mauritania, Japan, Argentina, Ecuador, Australia, Nepal, Pakistan and Belarus.

The General Assembly took note of the report of the Security Council (A/49/2).

The Assembly concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 11.

Programme of work

The President informed the General Assembly that the tentative programme of work and schedule of plenary meetings for the months of November and December issued in document A/INF/49/5/Add.2 superseded document A/INF/49/5/Add.1. (For inscription in the list of speakers for the items listed in document A/INF/49/5/Add.2, please call 963-5063.)

The President further informed members that the announcement of voluntary contributions to the 1995 programmes of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East would take place on Tuesday, 6 December, in the morning.

1994 UNITED NATIONS PLEDGING CONFERENCE FOR DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES *and*

1994 UNITED NATIONS/FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATION OF THE UNITED NATIONS PLEDGING CONFERENCE FOR THE WORLD FOOD PROGRAMME 1st meeting

Joint opening of the Pledging Conferences

The Under-Secretary-General and Special Adviser to the Secretary-General, Mr. Ismat Kittani, opened both Pledging Conferences on behalf of the Secretary-General. He also made an introductory statement on behalf of the Secretary-General.

Election of officers

H. E. Mr. Ion Gorita (Romania) and H. E. Mr. Wonil Cho (Republic of Korea) were elected Presidents of the 1994 United Nations Pledging Conference for Development Activities and 1994 United Nations/Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations Pledging Conference for the World Food Programme, respectively, by acclamation.

1994 United Nations Pledging Conference for Development Activities segment

Election of officers

Miss Helen Browne (Ireland) and H.E. Mr. Daudi N. Mwakawago (United Republic of Tanzania) were elected as Vice-Presidents of the 1994 Pledging Conference for Development Activities, by acclamation.

Statements regarding pledges

Statements were made and pledges announced by members of the Conference.

2nd meeting

1994 United Nations/Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations Pledging Conference for the World Food Programme segment

The President made an opening statement.

Election of officers

Mr. Juli Minoves-Triquell (Andorra) and H.E. Mr. Daudi N. Mwakawago (United Republic of Tanzania) were elected as Vice-Presidents of the 1994 United Nations/Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations Pledging Conference for the World Food Programme, by acclamation.

Statement by the Executive Director of the World Food Programme

The Executive Director of the World Food Programme made an introductory statement.

Statements regarding pledges

Statements were made and pledges announced by members of the Conference.

Adoption of the draft report

The Conference adopted its draft report contained in document A/CONF.175/L.1.

Closure of the Conference

The Executive Director of the World Food Programme made a concluding statement.

The President made a concluding statement and declared the 1994 United Nations/Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations Pledging Conference for the World Food Programme segment closed.

Committees

SPECIAL POLITICAL AND DECOLONIZATION COMMITTEE (FOURTH COMMITTEE) 15th meeting

United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East [77]

The Chairman drew attention to the basic documents relating to the item (A/49/13, A/49/288-S/1994/903, A/49/439, A/49/440, A/49/441, A/49/442, A/49/443, A/49/448, A/49/488, A/49/505, A/49/509, A/49/570).

The Commissioner-General of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East (UNRWA) introduced his report (A/49/13).

The representative of Norway, in his capacity as Rapporteur of the Working Group on the Financing of UNRWA, introduced the report of the Working Group (A/49/570).

The Chairman made a statement.

The general debate began with statements by the observer of Palestine, the representatives of Jordan, Germany (on behalf of the European Union and Austria), Bahrain, Turkey and the United States and the Observer for the League of Arab States.

On the proposal of the Chairman, the Committee decided to close the list of speakers in the general debate at 6 p.m. the same day.

Organization of work

The Chairman made a statement.

THIRD COMMITTEE 14th meeting

Social development, including questions relating to the world social situation and to youth, ageing, disabled persons and the family [95]

The Committee continued its general discussion of the item and heard a statement by the Special Rapporteur on the United Nations Standard Rules for the Equalization of Opportunities for Disabled Persons.

Statements were made by the representatives of Malaysia, Mauritania, the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Singapore, Namibia, Côte d'Ivoire, the United States, the Czech Republic, Myanmar, Pakistan, Thailand, Rwanda, Ukraine and Belarus.

Organization of work

The Chairman informed delegations that on Wednesday, 2 November, in the afternoon, the Committee would hear the introduction of draft proposals under items 93 and 94, and on Wednesday, 9 November, the Committee would take action on the draft proposals, as listed in the *Journal*.

The Chairman also informed delegations that the Committee would not meet on Friday morning, 4 November, to enable delegations to be present at the Economic and Social Council during its deliberations of agenda items 4, 5 and 6.

With regard to the Committee's meeting on agenda items 105 and 108, provision was being made to hold a meeting on Wednesday, 2 November, from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. subject to the availability of interpretation services.

15th meeting

The Committee continued its general discussion of the item and heard statements by the representatives of Oman, the United Republic of Tanzania, the Russian Federation, the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Slovenia, Iraq, Swaziland, Trinidad and Tobago (on behalf of CARICOM), Kuwait, Kazakhstan, Colombia, Egypt and the Islamic Republic of Iran.

The representative of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization also made a statement.

The Committee thus concluded its general discussion of agenda item 95.

Organization of work

Following a proposal by the Chairman the Committee agreed to hold a dialogue with the High Commissioner for Human Rights during its meeting on Monday, 21 November.

The Chairman informed the Committee that the deadline for inscription on the list of speakers for item 98 (International drug control) was Wednesday, 2 November, at 1 p.m.

SIXTH COMMITTEE 23rd meeting

Organization of work

The Chairman as well as the representatives of the United States and India made statements.

Report of the International Law Commission on the work of its forty-sixth session [137]

Statements were made by the representatives of Uruguay, Bulgaria, Canada, Guatemala, Spain, Hungary, Austria, China and Indonesia.

24th meeting

The Committee continued its consideration of agenda item 137 and heard statements made by the representatives of Gabon, Colombia, Mexico, France, the Lao People's Democratic Republic, Egypt, Bangladesh, Venezuela, Viet Nam, the Islamic Republic of Iran and the Syrian Arab Republic.

TRUSTEESHIP COUNCIL

Sixty-first session

1706th meeting

Report of the Secretary-General on credentials [2]

The President drew attention to the report of the Secretary-General on credentials for the sixty-first session contained in document T/1984.

The Council decided, without objection, to take note of the report of the Secretary-General.

Letter dated 17 October 1994 from the Permanent Representative of the United States of America to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

The President drew attention to a letter from the Permanent Representative of the United States of America to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General contained in documents T/1985 and S/1994/1200.

Report of the Trusteeship Council to the Security Council (Security Council resolution 70 (1949)) [9]

Following a statement by the President, the Council adopted, without a vote, its draft report to the Security Council.

Closure of the session

The President made a statement.

The Council thus concluded its work for the sixty-first session.

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International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights

HUMAN RIGHTS COMMITTEE

Fifty-second session

United Nations Office at Geneva

TUESDAY, 1 NOVEMBER 1994

1380th and 1381st meetings

Consideration of reports submitted by States parties under article 40 of the Covenant [4]

The Committee continued its consideration of a draft general comment relating to reservations made upon ratification or accession to the Covenant or the Optional Protocols thereto.

SIGNATURES, RATIFICATIONS, ETC.

[MULTILATERAL TREATIES DEPOSITED WITH THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

Convention on the International Maritime Organization, done at Geneva on 6 March 1948

Acceptance: Namibia (27 October 1994)*

Amendments to articles 17 and 18 of the Convention on the International Maritime Organization, adopted on 15 September 1964

Acceptance: Namibia (27 October 1994)*

Amendment to article 28 of the Convention on the International Maritime Organization, adopted on 28 September 1965

Acceptance: Namibia (27 October 1994)*

Amendments to articles 10, 16, 17, 18, 20, 28, 31 and 32 of the Convention on the International Maritime Organization, adopted on 17 October 1974

Acceptance: Namibia (27 October 1994)*

* The date of receipt of the relevant documents.

Amendments to the title and substantive provisions of the Convention on the International Maritime Organization, adopted on 14 November 1975 and on 9 November 1977

Acceptance: Namibia (27 October 1994)*

Amendments to the Convention on the International Maritime Organization, relating to the institutionalization of the Committee on Technical Co-operation in the Convention, adopted on 17 November 1977

Acceptance: Namibia (27 October 1994)*

Amendments to articles 17, 18, 20, and 51 of the Convention on the International Maritime Organization, adopted on 15 November 1979

Acceptance: Namibia (27 October 1994)*

Amendments to the Convention on the International Maritime Organization, relating to the institutionalization of the Facilitation Committee in the Convention, adopted on 7 November 1991

Acceptance: China (27 October 1994)*

Amendments to articles 16, 17 and 19 (b) of the Convention on the International Maritime Organization, adopted on 4 November 1993

Acceptance: China (27 October 1994)*

* The date of receipt of the relevant documents.

Agreement relating to the Implementation of Part XI of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea of 10 December 1982, adopted by the General Assembly of the United Nations on 28 July 1994

Signature: Cyprus (1 November 1994)

Vienna Convention for the Protection of the Ozone Layer, concluded at Vienna on 22 March 1985

Accession: Mali (28 October 1994)*

Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer, concluded at Montreal on 16 September 1987

Accession: Mali (28 October 1994)*

Amendment to the Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer, adopted at the Second Meeting of the Parties at London on 29 June 1990

Accession: Mali (28 October 1994)*

United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change, concluded at New York on 9 May 1992

Ratification: Belize (31 October 1994)*

United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification in Those Countries Experiencing Serious Drought and/or Desertification Particularly in Africa, opened for signature at Paris on 14 October 1994

Signature: Nigeria (31 October 1994)*

* The date of receipt of the relevant documents.

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